

RECEIVED

AUG 04 2003

07-31-03

DAC 44
20

EXPRESS MAIL NO. EL852691612US

OFFICE OF PETITIONS

PTO/SB/64 (05-03)

Approved for use through 04/30/2003. OMB 0651-0031
U.S. Patent and Trademark Office; U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

Under the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, no persons are required to respond to a collection of information unless it displays a valid OMB control number.

PETITION FOR REVIVAL OF AN APPLICATION FOR PATENT ABANDONED
UNINTENTIONALLY UNDER 37 CFR 1.137(b)

Docket Number (Optional)
59516-219 /
PP-01561.003

First named inventor: Dong Wei

Application No.: 09/544,776

Art Unit: 1635

Filed: April 7, 2000

Examiner: Jane Zara

Title: NOVEL PROTEIN ASSOCIATED WITH CELL STRESS RESPONSE

Attention: Office of Petitions
Mail Stop Petition
Commissioner for Patents
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450
FAX: (703) 308-6916

NOTE: If information or assistance is needed in completing this form, please contact
Petitions Information at (703) 305-9282.

The above-identified application became abandoned for failure to file a timely and proper reply to a notice or action by the United States Patent and Trademark Office. The date of abandonment is the day after the expiration date of the period set for reply in the Office notice or action plus any extensions of time actually obtained.

APPLICANT HEREBY PETITIONS FOR REVIVAL OF THIS APPLICATION

NOTE: A grantable petition requires the following items:

- (1) Petition fee;
- (2) Reply and/or issue fee;
- (3) Terminal disclaimer with disclaimer fee -- required for all utility and plant applications filed before June 8, 1995; and for all design applications; and
- (4) Statement that the entire delay was unintentional.

1. Petition fee

Small entity - fee \$ _____ (37 CFR 1.17(m)). Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27.

Other than small entity - fee \$1300 (37 CFR 1.17(m))

2. Reply and/or fee

A. The reply and/or fee to the above-noted Office action in the form of Request for Continued Examination (identify type of reply):

has been filed previously on _____

is enclosed herewith.

B. The issue fee of \$

has been paid previously on _____

is enclosed herewith.

08/01/2003 SU LIUONG1 00000079 040258 09544776

[Page 1 of 2]

01 FC:1453 1300.00 DA

This collection of information is required by 37 CFR 1.137. The information is required to obtain or retain a benefit by the public which is to file (and by the USPTO to process) an application. Confidentiality is governed by 35 U.S.C. 122 and 37 CFR 1.14. This collection is estimated to take 1.0 hour to complete, including gathering, preparing, and submitting the completed application form to the USPTO. Time will vary depending upon the individual case. Any comments on the amount of time you require to complete this form and/or suggestions for reducing this burden, should be sent to the Chief Information Officer, U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, U.S. Department of Commerce, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450. DO NOT SEND FEES OR COMPLETED FORMS TO THIS ADDRESS. SEND TO: Mail Stop Petition, Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.

SEA 1386460v1 59516-219
JEP/jeh

08/01/2003 SU LIUONG1 00000079 040258 09544776

Adjustment date
08/01/2003 SU LIUONG1 1970-01-01
02 FC:1453

Under the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, no persons are required to respond to a collection of information unless it displays a valid OMB control number.

3. Terminal disclaimer with disclaimer fee

Since this utility/plant application was filed on or after June 8, 1995, no terminal disclaimer is required.

A terminal disclaimer (and disclaimer fee (37 CFR 1.20(d)) of \$_____ for a small entity or \$_____ for other than a small entity) disclaiming the required period of time is enclosed herewith (see PTO/SB/63).

4. STATEMENT. The entire delay in filing the required reply from the due date for the required reply until the filing of a grantable petition under 37 CFR 1.137(b) was unintentional. [NOTE: The United States Patent and Trademark Office may require additional information if there is a question as to whether either the abandonment or the delay in filing a petition under 37 CFR 1.137(b) was unintentional (MPEP 711.03(c), subsections (III)(C) and (D)).]

WARNING: Information on this form may become public. Credit card information should not be included on this form. Provide credit card information and authorization on PTO-2038.

July 29, 2003

Date

Signature

Jane E. R. Potter

Typed or printed name



27476

PATENT TRADEMARK OFFICE

Customer Number/Bar Code Label

Enclosures: Fee Payment (Deposit Account)

Reply

Terminal Disclaimer Form

Additional sheets containing statements establishing unintentional delay

Other: _____

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING OR TRANSMISSION [37 CFR 1.8(a)]

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being:

deposited with the United States Postal Service on the date shown below with sufficient postage as first class mail in an envelope addressed to: Commissioner for Patents, Box DAC, Washington, D.C. 20231.

transmitted by facsimile on the date shown below to the United States Patent and Trademark Office at (703) 308-6916.

SENT VIA EXPRESS MAIL

Date

Signature

Typed or printed name
of person signing certificate

[Page 2 of 2]